

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8168**
Per ALMDAHL et al. : **Mail Stop: PCT**
Serial No. 10/501,325 : Attorney Docket No. 2004_1099A
Filed July 15, 2004 :

RISER CONTROL DEVICE
[Corresponding to PCT/NO03/00011
Filed January 15, 2003]

REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 USC 371

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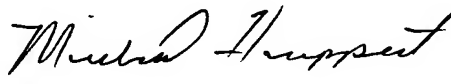
In response to the PTO Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 dated November 5, 2004, submitted herewith is a Declaration for the above application executed by the inventors.

Also enclosed are the PTO surcharge of **\$130.00** required by 37 CFR 1.492(e), and a copy of the PTO notice.

It is respectfully submitted that the application is now complete, and early indication thereof is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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